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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING AUTOMATIC  
STATUS INFORMATION OF A DELIVERY OPERATION

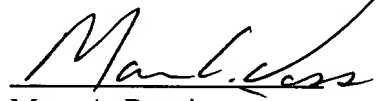
Enclosed are:

- ☒ TEN (10) sheets of informal drawings, Figures 1-10.
- ☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ Applicants hereby claim status as a small entity

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Claims	2 - 3 = 0	x	\$ 80.00 =	0.00	
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